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Group Art Unit: 2416

Docket No.: SONYJP 3.3-1076

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:	:
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Sugaya et al.	:
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Application No.: 10/510,011	: Group Art Unit: 2416
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Filed: September 29, 2004	: Examiner: T. H. Phan
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For: RADIO COMMUNICATION SYSTEM,	:
RADIO COMMUNICATION DEVICE,	:
RADIO COMMUNICATION METHOD, AND	:
COMPUTER PROGRAM	:

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 19, 2009, finally rejecting claims 1, 3-8, 17-26, 35-44, 53 and 54, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: